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FRAGMENTS AND HIGHLY PURIFIED CARDIOLATIN FRAGMENTS

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application on the merits, please
enter the following amendments.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please delete pages 35-46 containing the Sequence Listing and insert the
attached new pages 35-44 containing the revised Sequence Listing into the application.

Please renumber pages 47-52 containing the claims and the abstract as
pages 45-50, respectively.